

## HANES IS SECRETARY OF COMMERCIAL CLUB

Retail Merchants' Officer Is Chosen to Succeed N. H. Trimble.

HE WILL SERVE BOTH Organizations Will Remain Separate But Have Same Headquarters.

The Retail Merchants' Association and the Commercial Club will continue as separate organizations but will have the same secretary. C. O. Hanes, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, was elected secretary of the Commercial Club last night by the board of directors of the club. Nelson H. Trimble had previously tendered his resignation as secretary.

The change came about through the acceptance of the report of the joint committees of the two organizations, which were appointed to investigate the advisability of combining the headquarters and secretarieships of the two.

**Plan Long Discussed.**  
A proposal similar to the one adopted last night was considered by the two organizations about a year ago but no agreement was reached. For the last month the question has been discussed by the two associations.

The new plan went into effect today, but the change in headquarters by the Retail Merchants' Association will not be made for several days.

The reports contains the following points:  
The present identify of the two organizations will be maintained by keeping the work, funds, meetings and other things of the two organizations separate excepting in the following ways:

The two organizations shall have the same headquarters (the present Commercial Club rooms) and the same secretary. The Commercial Club shall provide the headquarters (the present Commercial Club rooms) and further provide the telephone, using the present Retail Merchants' Association number 1099, on account of the use of this number for the credit bureau. Whatever arrangement is made between the secretary and the Commercial Club in regard to his service to them must not materially affect the efficiency and the present service of the Retail Merchants' Association and the credit bureau and the association's other activities.

Either organization can withdraw from such an agreement upon giving reasonable notice to the other organization of such intention to withdraw.

**Both Will Benefit.**  
The agreement was adopted because it was believed that both organizations would be equally benefited. In many ways work has been duplicated.

The two associations will each derive special advantages. The Commercial Club rooms will be always open for holding meetings and for visitors in town. The club will also have a secretary all of the time and not part time as was the previous arrangement. By combining the secretarieships, between \$300 and \$500 will be saved annually. The Retail Merchants' Association will profit by saving office rent and telephone charge.

Mr. Hanes will have his office as secretary of the Commercial Club until April, when the Commercial Club holds its election. He was recently re-elected secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association until next September.

Members of both organizations interviewed today expressed their approval of the new arrangement.

**Secretary Trimble's Resignation.**  
Mr. Trimble wrote the Commercial Club directors as follows:

"After the club luncheon today (September 30) I had another talk with Mr. Thurston, our treasurer, about the plan for consolidating the secretarieship of the Commercial Club with the secretarieship of the Retail Merchants' Association.

"The arrangement as made calls for the full time of the secretary, six days a week. As it would be impossible for me to consider giving this much time, I hereby tender my resignation as Commercial Club secretary to take effect immediately.

"My interest in the Commercial Club remains unchanged and I will be glad to assist you at any time in any way I can.

"Yours for Columbia first,  
Nelson H. Trimble."

## MOTHERS' CLUB HOLDS ELECTION

Mrs. B. C. Hunt Is President—J. E. McPherson Talks.

Mrs. B. C. Hunt was elected president of the Mothers' Club at a meeting at the Benton School yesterday afternoon. The other officers are: Vice-president, Mrs. T. E. Windsor; secretary, Mrs. A. Y. Slate; treasurer, Mrs. A. Oliver, and press chairman, Mrs. A. M. Crouch. Committees were appointed, as follows: Resolution committee in memory of Miss Sallie Flood, Miss Ruth Keith, Mrs. Lon Jeffries and Mrs. Will Keithley; picture show committee, Mrs. E. L. Edwards, Mrs. A. M. Crouch and Miss Mamie Tate; membership committee, Mrs. T. E. Windsor, Mrs. W. R. Miller and Mrs. A. Y. Slate.

J. E. McPherson, superintendent of schools, spoke on the benefit derived from the co-operation of the mothers with the superintendent and teachers, which makes possible the almost entire elimination of diseases, irregular attendance, and tardiness and affords greater improvement in school equipment.

## 19 DEAD IN NEW ORLEANS

Other Victims of Storm Reported From Several Towns.

By United Press.  
NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 1.—Nineteen are known to be dead, scores are injured and the property loss amounts to \$2,000,000 as a result of the storm which swept this city Wednesday night.

Fifteen members of the crew of the tug Corsair narrowly escaped when the tug keeled on its side in the Mississippi River. The great Southern Pacific wharves were completely wiped out.

Dispatches from Biloxi, Miss., report fourteen fatalities in that region. Thirteen persons were killed at Riglets, La., and one at Long Beach, Miss. The damage in Biloxi will reach \$100,000, including the destruction of nearly six hundred piers along the shore.

The storm struck the town of Houma, La., and a tremendous loss of life is feared between Houma and Morgan City. The fate of Pass Christian also is in doubt.

## BODY OF JAMES DODD HERE

Funeral of Former Boone County Man Will Be Held Tomorrow.

The body of James Dodd, who died at Augusta, Ark., Wednesday, arrived in Columbia this afternoon. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at Bethel Church, four miles south of Columbia. The Rev. M. A. Hart will conduct the services. Burial will be in the family cemetery at the church.

Mr. Dodd was born in Boone County near Columbia in 1861. When he was 17 years old he left Columbia and went to Arkansas, where he had been farming since then. He is survived by four brothers: W. T. Dodd, John L. Dodd, Nathaniel Dodd and George T. Dodd, and one sister, Mrs. F. A. Tandy.

## NAVAL CADETS ARE PUNISHED

Six Dismissed, Four Suspended, Fifteen Demoted at Annapolis.

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced today the dismissal of six Annapolis cadets, the suspension of four for one year, and the demotion of fifteen, as a result of an investigation at the Naval Academy.

The investigation was caused by an outburst of severe hazing at the Academy and by an organized attempt upon the part of a group of cadets to secure examination questions before the time of the tests.

## FIRST MASS MEETING TONIGHT

Yell Leader for Year Will Be Elected After Try-Outs.

The first mass meeting this year of University students will be held in the University Auditorium at 7:15 o'clock tonight. One purpose is to elect a yell leader. Reed Bailey and R. E. Murray are the candidates. The candidates will have a try-out and several college songs and yells will be practiced, after which the students will elect their leader. Preparations are being made to have the rosters turn out in a body at the football game tomorrow, when the Tigers play the Oklahoma A. & M. College.

**Son for Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walker, Jr.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walker, Jr., of St. Louis are the parents of a boy, born today. Mr. Walker received the degree of A.B. from the University in 1904. He is a son of Charles J. Walker of Columbia. Mrs. Walker, who was Miss Gertrude Zoll, is a former student in the University and a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

## A 38-Year-Old Cadet



Freshmen to the right of him, freshmen to the left of him, Andrew C. Floyd, 38-year-old student, marches about the campus on drill days learning the intricacies of military art. Entirely unabashed by the uniqueness of his position, he wheels, stands attention and salutes with the same vigor and alacrity displayed by his youthful comrades.

"I have never even thought of being embarrassed," laughed Mr. Floyd. "Why, I like to be with the boys, and I feel myself one of them. It's hard for me to realize that I am 38. The officer who enlisted me, surprised when I told him my age, said he thought I was about 27. I believe I look younger than I am because my work in the public schools has kept me in touch with youth."

Floyd is taking military work voluntarily. He hopes to receive his degree next commencement.

"I enlisted because I like drilling," he said. "Before I signed up, I thought the matter over well. I knew what drill meant, for at various times I have organized and headed companies in the public schools. I also served for a time in the militia, and my reading on military subjects has been extensive. I have always wanted to learn the exact details of military maneuvers."

"Perhaps my liking for military work is due to the fact that my father was a lieutenant in the United States Army. We often talked together about military matters. At one time I hoped to enter West Point. At every opportunity in my school work I organized companies of boys for drill. I have been complimented on their performance, but I never felt absolutely certain that my companies were executing the evolutions in exactly the right way. When I have finished a year in the corps here, I hope to be able to say that I know I am correct."

"I certainly do enjoy the drill, even though I am reprimanded at times. Everyone treats me just as one of the boys."

## \$3 EXCURSION TO ST. LOUIS

Director Brewer Arranges for Game With Washington Oct. 9.

Director C. L. Brewer returned last night from St. Louis, where he completed arrangements for the annual Missouri-Washington game to be played in St. Louis October 9. The Washington will offer a roundtrip rate of \$3 from Columbia to St. Louis.

It has not been definitely decided on just what trains these rates will be good, or how long a stop in St. Louis is permitted. The athletic department had to guarantee 300 rooters to get the reduced rates, but Mr. Brewer believes that nearer 500 will take the trip. The band and cheer leaders will accompany the rooters.

Extensive plans are being made in St. Louis this year for the game with Missouri. Washington enthusiasts believe that the earliness of the game gives the Pikers their best chance in years to defeat the Tigers.

## MISSOURI DAY AT ASSEMBLY

E. W. Stephens Will Describe Missouri's New Capitol Monday Night.

Missouri Day exercises will be the principal feature of the first University Assembly of the school year, which will be held in the University Auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening. Besides the musical numbers, furnished by the University Cadet Band, there will be a speech by E. W. Stephens, chairman of the State Capitol Commission. Part of Mr. Stephens' address will be devoted to a description of the new capitol.

## J. W. Stone Left All to Wife.

The will of Josiah W. Stone, who died last Saturday, was filed with the probate judge yesterday. Mrs. Elvira H. Stone, his widow, was appointed executrix without bond and made the sole beneficiary. The will was dated June 29, 1889.

## CAME TO COLLEGE; NOW SHE'S MARRIED

Miss Ruby Calvin of Ashland Prepares a Surprise for Folks at Home.

RECORDER GIVES AID Routed From His Bed at Night to Issue License to County Couple.

It's the honeymoon and not the midnight oil that's shining now for her who was Miss Ruby Buel Calvin of Ashland until last night.

Miss Calvin, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Calvin of Ashland, came to Columbia last week to enter Christian College as a day student. She was to make her home with her aunt, Mrs. H. L. McCall, of Third street and Broadway.

She had left behind her, however, a lonely young man, Noah H. Arnold of Deer Park. So on Wednesday, it is supposed, when Mr. Arnold came to Columbia they decided that higher education could be bought at too high a price. Last night about 9:30 Mr. Arnold came to Columbia, probably in accordance with a schedule that had been mapped out on Wednesday; drove with Miss Calvin to the home of John L. Henry, county recorder, routed him from his warm blankets, conveyed him, protesting but good natured, to the courthouse, where a license was obtained, and then went to the McCall residence and were married by the Rev. W. S. St. Clair.

Mr. Arnold is the son of Mrs. Matthew Arnold of Deer Park and a brother of Miss Eliza Arnold, secretary to Dean E. J. McCaustland of the School of Engineering.

Miss Arnold was greatly surprised when told about the wedding, although she and both families were well aware of the mutual regard of the young couple.

The father of the bride was called on the telephone at his hardware store in Ashland and expressed surprise.

"No," he said, "I did not know that my daughter was married. I supposed she was running along to school today, like a good little girl."

"Do you care, Mr. Calvin?" There was a moment of silence.

Then—"She was eighteen," came the answer.

Mrs. McCall said the bride was anxious to have her wedding kept a secret until she had made up her mind whether or not she would continue in school. It seems to be the consensus, however, of those most interested that the couple will live on Mr. Arnold's farm at Deer Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold have completely made their escape and no one knows where they are.

## Judge Lawson Gives Up Classes.

Judge John D. Lawson of the School of Law has been compelled to give up his work because of throat trouble. His condition, while troublesome, did not become serious until recently. Judge Lawson said yesterday that he had been advised by his physician to give up lecturing for at least three months. Dr. H. J. Davenport, Dean of the School of Commerce, in which Judge Lawson's course in business law is scheduled, said that this subject would not be dropped.

## Dr. E. R. Clark Home From Vacation.

Dr. E. R. Clark, of the department of anatomy in the School of Medicine, will return to resume his work next Monday. Doctor Clark has been on a vacation trip. Errett C. Albritton of Mayfield, Ky., who won the Rollins Scholarship in the School of Medicine last year, is to be one of Doctor Clark's assistants.

## Negro Confesses Robbery.

Willie Wilson, the negro arrested in Mexico last week and charged with the robbery of the Pi Beta Phi sorority house September 13, confessed today. He will be sentenced when Judge David H. Harris convenes Circuit Court Monday.

## Okley Wren to Wed Sunday.

A marriage license was issued today to Okley Wren of Ashland and Miss Clara Rippetto of Hartsburg. They will be married Sunday. Mr. Wren is 25 years old and Miss Rippetto is 21.

## Curators Here for Meeting.

Dr. J. C. Parrish of Vandalla and Sam Sparrow of Kansas City arrived in Columbia today to attend a meeting of the Executive Board of the University tomorrow. John H. Bradley of Kennett will arrive tomorrow.

## THE WEATHER.

For Columbia and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer Saturday.  
For Missouri: Generally fair tonight and Saturday; warmer Saturday.

**Weather Conditions.**  
The Gulf storm, after causing considerable damage in the lower Mississippi valley, moved northward, with somewhat diminished energy, and is this morning central in Eastern Kentucky and Western Ohio; its influence, however, covers practically all of the territory east of the Mississippi River, and precipitation has been general from the Gulf to Maryland and Pennsylvania, with excessive amounts in Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Illinois, Kentucky and Ohio. The storm is moving northeast.

West of the Mississippi rains were of a local character, being confined to Texas, Oklahoma and a few other more northern sections.

A storm of some importance is moving eastward across Alberta, and has caused a rapid rise in temperature throughout the northwest.

As the storm element is moving away from Missouri the weather in Columbia will continue fair and moderate.

**Local Data.**  
The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 70 and the lowest last night was 48; precipitation .00; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 38 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 50 and the lowest 49; precipitation .00.

**The Almanac.**  
Sun rose today, 6:05 a. m. Sun sets, 5:32 p. m.

**The Temperatures Today.**

7 a. m. 49 11 a. m. 65  
8 a. m. 52 12 m. 67  
9 a. m. 56 1 p. m. 68  
10 a. m. 61 2 p. m. 71

## CANADA INCENSED AT FORD

May Prohibit Any Trading With Maker of the Little Car.

By United Press.  
OTTAWA, Canada, Oct. 1.—Major General Hughes, the Canadian minister of defense, expressed his disapproval today of the statement made by Henry Ford, that he would withdraw his money from any bank participating in the European war loan, and has asked Ford if he was correctly quoted.

If the utterance is proved and Canadian officials decide that it is an unfriendly action, they may prohibit by law any trading with the Ford company.

## THREE DOZEN BUTTONS LEFT

Old Guard Emblems Lost at Sorority House Were in Demand.

There are three dozen Old Guard buttons left. These are left because they were in hiding at a sorority house and not available when dozens of calls were made at the Missouri Store, the Co-op, Y. M. C. A. Building and other places where the buttons have been on sale.

"We could have sold three hundred more buttons," said R. E. Harper, chairman of the committee.

Announcement of the winners of prizes offered for highest sales will be made at the game tomorrow afternoon.

## NOW THEY'RE ALL CHAPERONED

Kappa Sigmas Select A. F. Ridgeway as Monitor, Ending Old System.

A. F. Ridgeway, a student assistant in the veterinary department of the College of Agriculture, yesterday accepted the position as monitor to the Kappa Sigma fraternity and will assume his new duties at once.

The selection of Mr. Ridgeway marks the end of the old unchaperoned regime in the local pan-Hellenic world, all of the fraternities and sororities now having either a monitor or a matron. This is in accordance with the rules of the University, made necessary by a decision of the Board of Curators several years ago.

## MAYOR HELD ON ARSON CHARGE

Webster Groves Executive, Head of Printing Company, Indicted.

By United Press.  
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1.—Roy B. Tidd, mayor of Webster Groves, a suburb of this city, was indicted today on an arson charge by a grand jury following an investigation of an alleged "arson ring."

Tidd is president of the Nixon-Jones Printing Company here, whose plant burned recently. Oil was afterward found in the ruins. The insurance had been increased before the fire from \$26,000 to \$62,000.

## 774 WOMEN IN UNIVERSITY

Eighty-six More Here Than Were Registered Last Year.

Of the 2,760 students thus far registered at the University this fall, 774 are women, as compared with 688 last year, when the total enrollment was 2,395. This means that there are 36 more women registered this year. There are 288 new women students and 486 who were here last year.

## Van Gent to Be Best Man at Wedding.

C. E. Van Gent, coach of the freshman football team of the University, left last night for Madison, Wis., where he will be the best man at a wedding of W. H. Lambert of St. Louis and Miss Bessie Rood of Madison. On his return he will stop at Evanston, Ill., to watch Northwestern University play. Missouri will play Northwestern November 6.

## TEUTONS LOSE AGAIN IN COUNTER ATTACKS

French Gain Toward Vimy and Repulse Foes North of Aisne.

DRIVE NOT EXPECTED

English Telegram Congratulates President Poincare on Troops' Success.

By United Press.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The French have made additional gains toward the Vimy heights, according to an official statement issued from the war office this afternoon. It was also stated that the Germans were making violent counter attacks in the Artois and Champagne regions north of Aisne but have been repulsed.

Two attacks upon the French fortifications of the Giornay forest and trenches south of Hill 119 were also repulsed. The Germans are making a violent cannonade and musket fire against points near Souper. The French abruptly stopped with artillery fire a German counter attack in the region of Malzon de Champagne, northwest of Massiges, and captured 280 prisoners last night in an advance north of Massiges.

## King Congratulates Poincare.

By United Press.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A telegram from King George of England received today by President Poincare removed all doubt that the present movement constitutes the beginning of a great German drive.

The message also congratulates President Poincare upon the successes at the beginning of the common offensive movement.

## Allied Torpedo Boat Lost.

By United Press.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 1.—Turkish batteries sank a torpedo boat of the Allies in the Dardanelles Wednesday, according to an announcement of the war office today.

## C. H. S. TAKES FIRST PRIZE

Exhibit of Commercial Class Wins at State Fair.

The exhibit of the 1914-1915 book-keeping and penmanship class of Columbia High School was awarded first prize yesterday at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia. In competition with exhibits of other high schools of the state. The 1913-1914 class won the second prize last year. Miss Rose Rosenthal is head of the commercial department here.

## "MOVIE TRUST" UNDER FIRE

Federal Court at Philadelphia Orders Dissolution of Monopoly.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Judge Dickinson of the Federal District Court rendered an opinion today ordering the dissolution of the "motion picture trust." The Motion Picture Patents Company and twelve others were defendants.

## RIGGS BANK MEN INDICTED

Officials Who Quarreled With McAdoo Accused by Grand Jury.

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Three officials of the Riggs National Bank, whose officers became embroiled in a controversy with the Treasury Department some time ago, were indicted today by the federal grand jury.

## Miss Marie Smith to Be Married.

Miss Marie Smith of Carthage, who was a freshman in the College of Arts and Science of the University of Missouri last year, will be married October 16 to Errol Pearman, also of Carthage. Miss Smith is a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Mr. Pearman was formerly a student in the Rolla School of Mines and Metallurgy, and belongs to the Kappa Alpha fraternity. They will live at Carthage.

## G. A. R. Election Today.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Elias Montfort of Cincinnati is the leading candidate for commander in chief of the G. A. R. in the balloting at the final session today of the national reunion here.

## \$700,000 Fire Loss at Marshall, Tex.

By United Press.

MARSHALL, Tex., Oct. 1.—Fire this morning destroyed three of the main buildings and several smaller structures of the Texas & Pacific Railroad Company plant here. The loss is \$700,000.